

THE GAZETTE.

TUESDAY DECEMBER 18.

THE CAUSES OF CLEVELAND'S DOWNFALL.

A short history of the World, the leading democratic paper in the city of New York, which has been in the state of New York, who refused to vote for Mr. Cleveland and who refused to vote for his reasons for doing so. The official returns show that not less than seven thousand democrats in that state refused to vote for Mr. Cleveland, and the answers in response to the request of the World were many in number. It is interesting to read some of these answers. They cover the ground taken by the republican party during the campaign—that Cleveland represents hypocrisy, free trade, civil service humbug, and the trusts and monopolists of the country. One of the letters states the opposition to Cleveland in a nutshell:

New York, Dec. 11.—As a supporter of Cleveland in 1881 I refrained from voting for him in the city of New York, and in the matter of the civil service reform. I saw him retain Mr. Pearson as postmaster in New York and appoint old Leverett Saltonstall to an office in Massachusetts, so that the mugwumps could go around robbing the taxpayers and saying: "Behold the magnificent non-partisan in the white house!" Then I saw him appoint, in the face of all the facts, two or three of the most corruptible, and low-lived democratic leaders in the state to important positions. That scuttled the old man with me. I gave the polls a wide berth Nov. 6. R. W. FARMER.

One of the manufacturers felt his manhood insulted when Mr. Cleveland in his free word message intimated that all manufacturers were rogues, and his response to the World inquiry is as follows:

THE N. Y. DAY. 7.—I changed my vote from Cleveland to Harrison this year. I favor low taxation, as a democrat always ought to, but I don't believe all our manufacturers are rogues, and I don't believe a president should ignore the people and the people's interests in his message. Mr. Cleveland used in his message.

Another democrat didn't like Cleveland's stubbornness and self-conceit, nor his policy in trying to please the mugwumps with a little political sop and therefore he made this answer:

New York, Dec. 10.—I voted for Cleveland in '84, but did not vote for him at the late election. I am a democrat and believe the offices belong to the members of the party. The last time we were voting for him, the last twenty years? A number of offices in the county which he held over during this administration said "Grover" in the Cold, Cold, Ground" just before election. It made me mad, and I did not vote. Cleveland is too stubborn and self-conceit, and won't take the advice from any one—that's what beat him.

Yours truly, JAMES JOHNSON.

An Irishman found fault with Cleveland's trade policy and the tendency to England, and answered in this manner:

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 7.—I did not vote for Cleveland because he has shown himself too friendly with England. He is no friend of Irishmen. Why did he try to please England? Why did he try to let Cleveland have his own way in the money question? Why did he let the trade? Because he is fond of England and hates an Irishman in his heart. EDWARD MORROW.

John Foley, the noted gold pen manufacturer, who has been a democrat all his life, worked and voted against Cleveland for three reasons:

New York, Dec. 10.—I subscribe my three reasons for joining the ranks of the "7,000." I voted against Mr. Cleveland. Firstly—because during the greater part of his administration he ignored his party, thus making the citizenship of most of his best friends in this state. Secondly—For his surrender of the rebel flag and his pension votes—an insult and injustice to a most brave and worthy body of men. Thirdly, but not least—For his English free trade message—a bid at any price for power, the keynote to his inglorious defeat and farewell to our party's term of power for many days. JOHN FOLEY.

There is no doubt that Cleveland is, and always was, very much prejudiced against the soldiers. His votes showed this, and therefore many democrats answered the World's inquiry by saying that they did not like his pension vote, nor his course in regard to the battle flag. One democratic veteran put his objections to him in this shape:

No. 72 COCHET STREET, BRONX, N. Y., Dec. 9.—The reason I did not vote for Cleveland is he doesn't like us veterans. When he was mayor of Buffalo he began to kick us, and he has kept it up every day since he took the chair. GEORGE MITCHELL.

These causes that brought about Cleveland's misfortune in New York, led to his defeat in Indiana, his loss of votes in Connecticut, and finally his downfall in the general result. (Cleveland is a shrewd reformer, a friend of trusts, a free trader, and did not in all this time, make good a single pledge. It is no wonder he was defeated.)

Mr. Cowgill, state sugar inspector of Kansas, is quoted by a Topeka correspondent, as saying that there will be a great many sugar factories started in that state this coming year. "There is no longer any question," said Mr. Cowgill, "that sugar-making can be successfully carried on in Kansas. Sorghum is a successful crop in the country where other crops fail, and I think the time is not far distant when sugar mills will be scattered all over the western country. The factories in this state were all profitably operated this year, and the manufacture of sorghum from sorghum is no longer an experiment." Whenever the people make up their minds to press the sugar manufacture the backbone of the sugar trust will be broken. If the north tries, it can beat the south making sugar.

There is a mysterious man at Dubuque, who is known in the west and south as "Fincher." His attacks upon women are confined to springing out suddenly from some place of concealment, and before the woman has recovered from her fright, pinching her violently on both

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"At 12:45 a. m. Advice just received from the scene of the trouble say that the negroes have become alarmed at the number of reinforcements which the whites have received from all quarters and have retreated to the swamps, where they are fortifying themselves and making every preparation to resist all attacks. They are armed with shot-guns, muskets and pistols and are abundantly supplied with ammunition. The whites are mostly armed with Winchester rifles, shot-guns and some side arms, and are determined to put a stop to all such outbreaks. The present scene of trouble is about five miles from Vicksburg and reports are hard to get. Expectation is on the qui vive and the telegraph office is crowded with eager faces waiting to catch every rumor from the seat of war. Reports are to the effect that the whites and blacks are now about equal in numbers, and the whites are about to advance to the swamp. This, of course, incenses the negroes, and reports are hourly expected. That it will be a fearful fight is no one for a moment doubts. Judging from the past the situation is a very thing but reassuring. Those who remember the riots of 1875 shudder as they contemplate the horrors of a race war. The military here have made every preparation to put up to any emergency, but up to the present writing no reinforcements are ready to leave at any moment, but up to the present writing no reinforcements are ready to leave at any moment, but up to the present writing no reinforcements are ready to leave at any moment.

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"Killed—Henry Murry, Seth Cobb, Tom Nicholas, Bill Vaughn, Bill Haro, "Wounded—Frank Murry, Tom Cobb, John Harper, H. L. Harper, John Drew and John Thomas.

"At 12:45 a. m. Advice just received from the scene of the trouble say that the negroes have become alarmed at the number of reinforcements which the whites have received from all quarters and have retreated to the swamps, where they are fortifying themselves and making every preparation to resist all attacks. They are armed with shot-guns, muskets and pistols and are abundantly supplied with ammunition. The whites are mostly armed with Winchester rifles, shot-guns and some side arms, and are determined to put a stop to all such outbreaks. The present scene of trouble is about five miles from Vicksburg and reports are hard to get. Expectation is on the qui vive and the telegraph office is crowded with eager faces waiting to catch every rumor from the seat of war. Reports are to the effect that the whites and blacks are now about equal in numbers, and the whites are about to advance to the swamp. This, of course, incenses the negroes, and reports are hourly expected. That it will be a fearful fight is no one for a moment doubts. Judging from the past the situation is a very thing but reassuring. Those who remember the riots of 1875 shudder as they contemplate the horrors of a race war. The military here have made every preparation to put up to any emergency, but up to the present writing no reinforcements are ready to leave at any moment, but up to the present writing no reinforcements are ready to leave at any moment, but up to the present writing no reinforcements are ready to leave at any moment.

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Before we make another announcement in  
this paper Christians will have passed, and we  
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most precious time in our lives. Merry Christmas  
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AN ORDINANCE for the protection of public fountain and their surroundings.

BEFORE ME, the Mayor of the City of *Janeville*, do ordain as follows:

That any person, unless duly authorized place or throw in, into or upon, any public drinking or display fountain, or basin or other receptacle for water, any substance or matter from such fountain or basin within the city of *Janeville*, or any part or portion thereof, or otherwise, or interfere in any manner with the use of water to or from the same.

That any person who shall, by any act, omission, or neglect, or by any means, assault, battery, or injury or deface any public drinking fountain, or any basin therefor, or any other receptacle for water, or any structure or building surrounding the same, or obstruct or impede the use of water to or from the same, or any part or portion of such drinking or display fountain, or basin therefor, or take away or interfere with the drinking water, or any water supplied to the same or any part thereof, or obstruct the same or any part thereof, or interfere with the use of water to or from the same, or the access or ground about or adjacent to the same, shall be liable to a fine of *ten* dollars, or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding *thirty* days, or to both such fine and imprisonment, at the discretion of the court.

That any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be liable to a fine of *ten* dollars, or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding *thirty* days, or to both such fine and imprisonment, at the discretion of the court.

That this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage.

WITNESSE MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE, this *10th* day of *August*, 1888.

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1388.     By the Court     JAMES W. SALLS, County Judge.

          CHIEFF'S SALE—GILBERT COURT, ROCK COUNTY, IOWA. Plaintiff vs. JAMES MURPHY, defendant.

          In pursuance of an order of sale made in the above entitled cause, the Circuit Court of Rock county, Wisconsin, and hearing date to the said cause, the undersigned, Clerk of said court, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the postoffice in the town of Janesville, Wisconsin, on Wednesday, November 15, 1911, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, the following described premises, to-wit: The city of Janesville, Rock county, Wisconsin, lot 131 in Mitchell's 3d addition to the city of Janesville, Rock county, Wisconsin, dated November 24, 1888.

          SILAS WARD,     SHERIFF OF ROCK COUNTY, WISCONSIN.  
          DENVERDIE & GOLDEN,     ATTORNEYS FOR PLAINTIFF.  
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**THE GAZETTE.**  
THE OFFICIAL CITY PAPER.  
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1906.  
**LOCAL MATTERS.**  
Mud and handkerchief sale at W. O. Holmes.  
The finest art goods and Christmas cards at Sutherland's bookstore.  
A ribbon sale at Mrs. Woodstock's, Thursday, December 20th.  
Special sale ribbons to-morrow in our military department. ANNE REID.  
Fancy ribbons, plain ribbons, ribbons for neckwear, ribbons for fancy work, all ribbons at special sale to-morrow, Wednesday, in military department.  
Ribbons at special sale to-morrow. ANNE REID.  
The cheapest place to get your silk and linen handkerchiefs, mullers, tobacco caps, anis, men's and boys' wool socks, boys' and men's stockings, napkins, fancy linen towels, table linens, marcelles, quilts, blankets and comfortables is at the store of Barnes & Boland.

Mrs. Judd will sell a pheasant and buggy at the auction sale at Oak Lawn next Friday.  
The prices can not be best that we are making on gold-headed silk umbrellas, muffs, bags, kid mitts, kid gloves, saxon wool mitts, Jersey wool mitts, Jersey wool gloves in black and colored, fancy table covers, and many other goods suitable for Christmas gifts.  
BURNS & BOLAND.  
WORKMEN WANTED.—Trotter \$2.50 shoe made by W. L. Douglas, (the genuine Douglas shoe) acknowledged the most durable shoe made, fully warranted. For sale by Brown Bros.  
Special Ribbon Sale to-morrow, Wednesday, at Annie Reid's.  
Rather late in the season to buy such a large line of sample cloaks, but we have bought them at one third their value and can give prices on them that are sure to sell them.  
BURNS & BOLAND.  
Silk and wool muffs and an endless line of bargains in men's wear for Christmas at W. O. Holmes.  
500 pairs of sample gloves and mittens at about one-half the regular price at W. O. Holmes. Buy quick while the bargain lasts.  
For holly, bouquet, green and Christmas trees; leave orders at Walter Heime's.  
600 silk and wool plush caps closed out at special prices. These are valued. Call and see them at W. O. Holmes.  
Elegant line of rose, vase, glass baskets, cardholders, olive trays, gilt dishes, bone plates, shirred egg dishes, and egg stands, at Wheeler's.  
Mrs. Judd will sell for cash at public auction at Oak Lawn, Second Ward, on Friday next, Dec. 21st, at 1 o'clock p. m. her furniture and household goods. This is a rare opportunity to secure both fine and ordinary furniture.  
The grandest display of holiday goods Call and see them, at Sutherland's bookstore.  
To every lady calling at Walter Heime's music store will be given a piece of sheet music free of charge. For this week only.  
ENCORE.—Fair sales of Dicken's Rhapsody, Scott, Irving, George Elliott, etc. cheap, at Sutherland's bookstore.  
WARRANTED.—A printed warrant with the celebrated \$3 W. L. Douglas shoe; smooth inner sole, good style and a hanger to wear. Try a pair for sale by Brown Bros.  
Albums.—Dressing cases, writing desks, work boxes, gold pens at Sutherland's bookstore.  
Get your picture frames of Dine.  
Biar in mind that we sell materials for any work. BORN, BAILEY & CO.  
All modern conveniences at the bath parlors of Charles Wash.

Only 25 cents.—You will find a large stock of ladies' rubbers at Brown Bros. Bargain Shoe Store for 25c a pair; misses children's, same price—in heel and spring heel. Try a pair of these goods and convince yourself that they are equal to what you have always paid more money for.  
Hot and cold baths at Wisch's.  
Just received direct from the factory, the finest assortment of picture frames in the city, of all sizes. I will sell with or without pictures. See them.  
J. A. Tice.  
Clocks and jewelry at The Magnet.  
Milk on the Jersey and Maple Grove Dairy wagons at 5 cent per quart.  
FOR SALE OR RENT.—Before Jan. 1st, an upright piano, nearly new, standard make. Address P. O. Box 1055 City.  
Why don't you buy the Douglas shoe, printed warrant with every pair. You will find them at Brown Bros. Bargain shoe store.  
The Milwaukee Clothing Company's stock of Alaska seal caps, warranted London eye, turban and Detroit shawls, are greatly reduced to price to close.  
There are 2000 acres of land in the third ward, nearly one-half of which fronts on two good streets, and will be platted into 30 good lots, worth \$100 to \$250 each; the balance, first-class and all small fruit or market gardenings, and all of which can be bought for \$1700. Good reasons for selling at this extremely low price. There is, in the investment, a certainty of a profit of "an hundred fold."  
O. E. Bowles.  
Evergreen and holly at Dennison's.  
New York sago cheese at Dennison's. Shelled walnuts, Brans, Alberta, pig-Sedee raisins, currants, citron, lemon and orange peel; dried fruits, etc., at Dennison's.  
Hosiery and underwear at The Magnet.  
Buy your boots where you can get the best assortment of reliable goods to choose from at the lowest prices on record. RICHARDSON SHOE CO.

made boots of enthusiastic friends, who will join with many others in welcoming him this evening.  
—Emmett Burdick, whose work as an artist is well known among Janesville people, is preparing to open a studio in the Myers block, West Milwaukee street. He will have rooms in the rear of Dr. Thorr Judd's office, and will soon be ready to receive classes in oil painting, water colors or sketching.  
—While City Treasurer Love, of Beloit, was reading a letter announcing the death of a uncle in New York, he received a telegram announcing the death of his brother, Frank Love, at Willow Island, Nebraska. A few moments later another dispatch was received announcing the death of a brother's wife in Kansas.  
—Last evening Senator Cooper, Abe Furgher and William Pugh left for Madison to protect against the granting of a pardon to Hartley O'Neil. John T. Felt will also be there to protest against liberating O'Neil. The petition protesting against executive clemency, bearing thousands of signatures, was sent to Madison on Saturday night.  
—At the supper and Christmas sale to be given at Cannon's Hall to-morrow afternoon and evening there will be the following bill of fare: Chicken pie, baked chicken, lemon jelly, warm biscuits, Boston brown bread, cake, pie and nutmeg-roasted potatoes. Supper will be served from five o'clock. Ladies especially should not forget the sale.  
—Dr. Sperry will lecture at the Congregational church next Friday evening. Hear him. Jas. W. Strong, D. O. president of Carleton College, Minn., says of Dr. Sperry: "The doctor, whom I have known for many years, is one of the most attractive, stimulating and instructive lecturers I have ever heard. His lectures are always elevating and entertaining."  
—Supper will be served at the Court Street M. E. Sunday school room to-morrow evening. A tempting repast will be provided.  
—Read the advertisement of the Milwaukee Clothing Co. in this issue. A handsome Christmas present for the boys given away.  
—Oriental Lodge No. 22, Knights of Pythias, assemble in regular weekly session this evening at Castle hall, Jeffries block, West Milwaukee street.  
—Remember the supper at Court Street M. E. church to-morrow evening from 5:30 to 7:30. All for fifteen cents. A convenient place for hurried people near Christmas.  
—Mr. B. Murdoch went to Fond du Lac this morning, and at four o'clock this afternoon he will be married to Miss Belle Marshall. Congratulations of many friends follow.  
—Mr. John Conroy, one of Janesville's former prosperous grocers, now an owner of general store and cattle ranch in Nebraska, is visiting relatives and friends in the Bower City.  
—Mrs. Anson Rogers will start for Boston to-morrow, intending to spend the winter in that city with relatives and friends. The best wishes of many Janesville people will be with her.  
—The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary Coleman will be held from St. Patrick's church at nine o'clock to-morrow morning, the Rev. Father McGinnity officiating.  
—Diamond drops at A. F. Hall & Co.  
—Child's sets—knife, fork and spoon matched, in many different styles—solid silver and plated, at "the reliable jeweler."  
—Bishop McLaren, of Chicago, conducted the services of benediction of the porch of St. Paul's Cathedral, at Fond du Lac, erected to the memory of the late Bishop Brown by Mrs. C. O. Brown, Waterbury.  
—It shows that our advertising must hit the mark, and that what we say is fact, when our competitors on seeing the printer had failed to put ornaments on their notice, by mistake, copy word for word our hander. P. O. Cook.  
—The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the First M. E. church, will meet with Mrs. M. Evans, 250 Ravine street, to-morrow (Wednesday) afternoon, at three o'clock. Every member is expected to be present.  
—Reno has just been aroused to the idea of keeping banks open during the dinner hour. Reno banks are now open for from 10 a. m. to 3 p. m., the hour and a half suspension of business at noon being given up.  
—James Collins was before Judge Patterson this morning long enough to prove his innocence of a charge of assault and battery preferred against him and to secure his discharge. He was defended by Harry R. McKinney.  
—The results of R. W. King's recent visit to Chicago are evident in the show cases of King & Skelly's store. A line of books and holiday novelties is shown that is well worth examination and that St. Nicholas is likely to bear in mind. Gift lettering for Christmas books, done in any style desired, at the Gazette bindery.  
—The Chicago & Northwestern Railway Company will sell excursion tickets to all points on its lines December 24th, 25th, 31st, and January 1st good to return until January 31st, at one and one-third fare for round trip.  
—Watchers of all standard grades, in all styles of cases, from gold set with precious stones and gold filled down to silver and nickel—both in ladies and gent's sizes. No larger assortment can be shown than that displayed by "the reliable jeweler."  
—The Masonic fraternity enjoyed a pleasant social party last evening at Masonic hall. Smith & Anderson's orchestra furnished the music, and there was a good attendance. The next party will be given on Wednesday evening, December 26th.  
—It's about as hard to find a girl whose marriage is announced in the newspapers who isn't "beautiful and accomplished," says the Langhorne Dial, as it is to find a man who has lately died who wasn't "honored and respected by all who knew him."  
—Taking the hint from the Chicago News, which instructs those sending in Christmas stories only to write on one side of the paper, a number of our exchanges are directing amateur poets who send in poems on "Snow" to write on neither side.  
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—Reno has just been aroused to the idea of keeping banks open during the dinner hour. Reno banks are now open for from 10 a. m. to 3 p. m., the hour and a half suspension of business at noon being given up.  
—James Collins was before Judge Patterson this morning long enough to prove his innocence of a charge of assault and battery preferred against him and to secure his discharge. He was defended by Harry R. McKinney.  
—The results of R. W. King's recent visit to Chicago are evident in the show cases of King & Skelly's store. A line of books and holiday novelties is shown that is well worth examination and that St. Nicholas is likely to bear in mind. Gift lettering for Christmas books, done in any style desired, at the Gazette bindery.  
—The Chicago & Northwestern Railway Company will sell excursion tickets to all points on its lines December 24th, 25th, 31st, and January 1st good to return until January 31st, at one and one-third fare for round trip.  
—Watchers of all standard grades, in all styles of cases, from gold set with precious stones and gold filled down to silver and nickel—both in ladies and gent's sizes. No larger assortment can be shown than that displayed by "the reliable jeweler."  
—The Masonic fraternity enjoyed a pleasant social party last evening at Masonic hall. Smith & Anderson's orchestra furnished the music, and there was a good attendance. The next party will be given on Wednesday evening, December 26th.  
—It's about as hard to find a girl whose marriage is announced in the newspapers who isn't "beautiful and accomplished," says the Langhorne Dial, as it is to find a man who has lately died who wasn't "honored and respected by all who knew him."  
—Taking the hint from the Chicago News, which instructs those sending in Christmas stories only to write on one side of the paper, a number of our exchanges are directing amateur poets who send in poems on "Snow" to write on neither side.  
—Robert Downing's presentation of "The Gladiator" this evening will be remembered as one of the dramatic events of the season. When Mr. Downing appeared at the opera house last season he

made boots of enthusiastic friends, who will join with many others in welcoming him this evening.  
—Emmett Burdick, whose work as an artist is well known among Janesville people, is preparing to open a studio in the Myers block, West Milwaukee street. He will have rooms in the rear of Dr. Thorr Judd's office, and will soon be ready to receive classes in oil painting, water colors or sketching.  
—While City Treasurer Love, of Beloit, was reading a letter announcing the death of a uncle in New York, he received a telegram announcing the death of his brother, Frank Love, at Willow Island, Nebraska. A few moments later another dispatch was received announcing the death of a brother's wife in Kansas.  
—Last evening Senator Cooper, Abe Furgher and William Pugh left for Madison to protect against the granting of a pardon to Hartley O'Neil. John T. Felt will also be there to protest against liberating O'Neil. The petition protesting against executive clemency, bearing thousands of signatures, was sent to Madison on Saturday night.  
—At the supper and Christmas sale to be given at Cannon's Hall to-morrow afternoon and evening there will be the following bill of fare: Chicken pie, baked chicken, lemon jelly, warm biscuits, Boston brown bread, cake, pie and nutmeg-roasted potatoes. Supper will be served from five o'clock. Ladies especially should not forget the sale.  
—Dr. Sperry will lecture at the Congregational church next Friday evening. Hear him. Jas. W. Strong, D. O. president of Carleton College, Minn., says of Dr. Sperry: "The doctor, whom I have known for many years, is one of the most attractive, stimulating and instructive lecturers I have ever heard. His lectures are always elevating and entertaining."  
—Supper will be served at the Court Street M. E. Sunday school room to-morrow evening. A tempting repast will be provided.  
—Read the advertisement of the Milwaukee Clothing Co. in this issue. A handsome Christmas present for the boys given away.  
—Oriental Lodge No. 22, Knights of Pythias, assemble in regular weekly session this evening at Castle hall, Jeffries block, West Milwaukee street.  
—Remember the supper at Court Street M. E. church to-morrow evening from 5:30 to 7:30. All for fifteen cents. A convenient place for hurried people near Christmas.  
—Mr. B. Murdoch went to Fond du Lac this morning, and at four o'clock this afternoon he will be married to Miss Belle Marshall. Congratulations of many friends follow.  
—Mr. John Conroy, one of Janesville's former prosperous grocers, now an owner of general store and cattle ranch in Nebraska, is visiting relatives and friends in the Bower City.  
—Mrs. Anson Rogers will start for Boston to-morrow, intending to spend the winter in that city with relatives and friends. The best wishes of many Janesville people will be with her.  
—The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary Coleman will be held from St. Patrick's church at nine o'clock to-morrow morning, the Rev. Father McGinnity officiating.  
—Diamond drops at A. F. Hall & Co.  
—Child's sets—knife, fork and spoon matched, in many different styles—solid silver and plated, at "the reliable jeweler."  
—Bishop McLaren, of Chicago, conducted the services of benediction of the porch of St. Paul's Cathedral, at Fond du Lac, erected to the memory of the late Bishop Brown by Mrs. C.